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DESTRUCTION. OLD TRICKS WILL

HUNDREDS OF HUMANS

Mrs. Blanchard and two children. Dr. C. H. Kelsey, of New Brighton.

Louis Nelson, employee of Eastern allway. Peter Robertson.

Nels Robertson. Mary Robertson. M. Robertson, child. R. Hoffman and wife Mrs. Costigan and three children. William Pinnorr.

Patrick Murphy. Orville Cox. Thomas Dunn, wife and four children. Emma Dolan, Belle O'Brien and An-

ic Wallace, demi-mondes.

The walls of the schoolhouse, the iron fence about the town hall property, the bank Ault and one absolutely uninjur-ed outhouse is all that is left to mark the site of Hinckley, where yesterday stood a score of buildings and a dozen Short Bot Pitiful.

The story of the catastrophe is a short one. The town was built of wood. The schoolhouse, erected last year at a cost of \$10.000, and one-half of the Eastern Minnesota railway roundhouse, were the only brick structures in the city. By one of those peculiar freaks, for which there is no accounting, the roundhouse and water tank, on the southwestern edge of the town, almost in the woods, escaped the flames, a circumstance the more remarkable from the fact that it stood directly in the path of the flames, which seemed to have jumped it as cleanly as if playing leap-frog. All yesterday forenoon the townspeople were apprehensive. The fire kept advancing, swept by the wind, which was blowing a gale. About 11 o'clock the The story of the catastrophe is a nort one. The town was built of ood. The schoolhouse, erected last ancing, swep, by a ward and allowing a gale. About 11 o'clock the lawing a gale. About 11 o'clock the law and aid an eighteen hundred foot line of everything.

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The hose was too short for the meature of protection desired, and a telegram was set to Rush City for more.

One hundred feet was sent, but it
in over reached Hinckley.

About 3 o'clock in the afternoon the
fire literally jumped into the town. It
did not eat its way along, devouring
everything in its path, but came in
huge leaps, as if to take everything
before it. It appeared as if it was
forced along by a cyclone of its own
generation. The intense heat would
develop a veritable whirlwind of
fiame and carried huge blazing fire

sychnity are probably burned to death.
There are about eleven homeless families still at Mission Creek, but they
have provisions for about twenty-four
hours.

Brook Park, two miles west of Hinckley, is burned and there are about 125
people there, many of whom are in
need of immediate relief.

Heroes Every One.

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limited train, which was burned near
Hinckley, the entire train crew deserves to be placed on the roll of honor

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Fled to the Swamps,

mained four hours while the smoke and flames rolled over their heads. They dashed water over each other and covered their heads with wet cloths to prevent suffocation and all were saved. Others of the citizens sought refuge in the Grindstone river under the abutments of the two railway bridges and at the foot bridge. The exact number cannot be known, but many escaped and some were drowned. Mrs. Martin Martinson and her four little babes were taken, drowned, from the water this morning.

The President's Action.

As soon as the people begin to consider well the action of President

morning. this morning.

In the meantime, Hinckley was burning with the utmost rapidity and in a few hours nothing was left but ruins. The total loss to the city will exceed \$1,000,000, with a comparative light in-

The situation at Sandstone is even more appalling than at Hinckley, except in point of numbers. Of the 200 residents one-fourth are dead.

Otto Stafferfeldt, of Sandstone, talking of the disaster, said that last night about 5:30 flames neared the town and the people prepared to leave The wind

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From the stories of passengers on the limited train, which was burned near Hinckley, the entire train crew de-serves to be placed on the roll of honor rands high in the air, and carrying for personal heroism. Engineer James hem forward for from forty to eighty ods, let them fall and begin their ork of devastation anew. ork of devastation anew.

Fighting for Life.

The first struck Hinekley on the last slide of the Duluth track and the last slide of the Safety. The Lastern Minnesota train from the south had just come in and the people of the panic stricken city flocked to it for safety. A number of box cars were flying in every direction, and the smoke was so dense it was windows even with the aid of the safety. A number of box cars were flying in every direction, and the smoke was so dense it was burse-headed, some were coatless, some few clutched a pittin bundle of the more people. The train pulled out just aftend of the fire and succeeded in ultimately reaching Duluth.*

This circumstance, while fortunate in a degree that cannot be estimated, has made the confusion greater, for it is not become who were confusion greater, for it is not become who excaped in this way, and many people are reported dead who

party has been an aggregation of bluff, pure and simple, and not one of its

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hundred citizens who were willing to believe they can afford to spend a trust to its friendly depths. They re-mained four hours while the smoke and given them under the nefarious pro-

As soon as the people begin to con-sider well the action of President Cleveland in allowing the tariff bill to become a law without his signature to become a law without his signature to it, they begin to see that this was logical. By all means the people must be impressed—so say the leaders—with the fact that this bill does not repre-sent the full measure of the reform the

the Republicans would immediately have gone to the voters with the misstatement that this was a fulfillment of Democratic doctrine and would have on Democrate doctrine and would have enlarged on the points in the bill that no Democrat will endorse—that is, those parts placed in it because of the opposition of the conservatives, and the necessity of securing the votes of

great deal better.

The strongest fight to be made against any Democrat in the coming canvass will be that against William L. Wilson. The hosts of the g. o. p. canvass will be that against William L. Wilson. The hosts of the g. o. p. and their trust partners have determined to make an example of him as a warning to all those who would endeavor to make them desist from their shameless robbery. They want to settle it once and for all that no presumptuous patriot can tamper with what they consider their vested right to pillage under the forms of law and remain in public life. Chairman Faulkner, however, says that a good fight ner, however, says that a good fight will be made by the Democrats as a matter of principle, to prove that this is still a government in which the people are supreme, and he has strong hopes that the gallant leader of the tariff reform fight will be pulled tariff reform fight will be pulled through with a good majority. Only a few belated congressmen are now in the city, and these have stopped

now in the city, and these have stopped for the gayetles of the Pythian encampment. The rest have gone off to look after their fences, and the districts that have already been reached are being whooped up with a vim. Those that are here will be gone by the end of the week and the national capital will have a rest for a month, while the country must bear the heretofore pent-up streams of political oratory.

HIPPOLYTE MORTALLY ILL.

New York, Sept. 2.-The steamer Saginaw. Captain Rockwell, from Azuaw. San Domingo, brings no news of any disturbance in Hayti. President Hippolyte is said to be mortally ill, and when he dies it is thought a very uncertain state of affairs will prevail and a revolution would be among the legation, has received notice of his transfer to a similar office at Vienna. He will be succeeded by Mr. Amano-

Puerto Plato that on August 15 the Hamburg-American steamer Colonia in attempting to change her berth struck a sunken steamer in the harbor and will probably prove a total loss.

PRAYERS FOR HIS RECOVERY. Paris, Sept. 2.-In accordance with the desire expressed by the Duke of Orleans, son of the Comte de Paris, who is said to be dying at Stowe house, who is said to be dying at stowe house, near London, that prayers be said in the churches for the restoration of his father to health, a low mass was celebrated today at the Church of the Madeline. The services were attended by all the notable royalists of Paris, each of whom displayed deep emotion.

The trouble is not yet ended.

oday gave a lunch in honor of M. Triparty who are making a Mediterranean party who are making a Mediterranean trip in the latter's yacht. Among the guests was Hon. Thomas F. Bayard, the American ambassador to Great Britain, who is of the yachting party.

FORCED LOAN TO CHINA. London, Sept. 2.-A dispatch from Shanghai says an imperial decree has been issued at Pekin ordering a forced loan. It calls upon four native banks to loan the government, if possible 10,

A CRISIS IN ROWE.

London, Sept. 3.-A dispatch from Rome says affairs in that city have again assumed a grave aspect. Agra-rian crimes are frequent and the illures to improve the relations between the land owners and tenants.

STRUCK BY A CYCLONE.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 2.-A small the necessity of securing the votes of forty-three senators. Now they cannot say that the Democrats endorse it further than to hold that it is a good measure so far as it lessens the burdens of taxation, and the party will make it a several of them had narrow escapes. cyclone struck the southwestern part

IN HONOR OF THE EMPEROR. Vienna, Sept. 2.-Emperor Francis seph has arrived at Lanskron, in Boemia, where he will attend the great nemia, where he will attend the great autumn menoeuvres. This is the first visit of royalty since 1815. The streets were splendidly decorated in honor of the occasion and were packed with peasants attired in gala costumes. In the evening there was a torchlight pro-cession and the emperor was serenaded by the military bands. by the military bands.

The manoeuvres began last Thurs

TRIED TO KILL HIMSELF.

Rome, Sept. 2.-Eugene Zozzi, formerly American consul here, made an mpt to kill himself today in the Mall elleved the attempt was prompted by

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He Led the Six Lynched Ne- There Will Be No Half-Way Measures A Sensation Promised Soon at groes Into the Hands of the Mob.

SEVERAL ARRESTS HAVE ALREADY BEEN MADE.

STERN RESOLVE TO PUNISH ALL

THE GUILTY PARTIES.

Bold Attack on the Postoffice at University Place, Neb., Which Alarms the Entire Community—The Postmaster Kidnapped and Taken to the Woods, and All the Boodle in Sight Gathered In.

Marrokis Tann Sent 2 Criminal

Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 2.—Criminal Court Judge Cooper is determined to punish the mob who lynched six alleged negro incendiarles near Millington, Friday night. Four more men

Just beyond the edge was a tract of capture the state.

It is an open secret that they will acres. The whole area had been exsend a great deal of money into Utah for this and the next campaign. They in its centre was a stagnant pool of are backed by the tariff trusts, who rainwater three feet deep. To it filed a want their tools in power again, and the Republicans will spare no pains to just.

Over 100 friends of the bishop surrounded the church and watched the service through the windows, but offered no violence. A riot was said to hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of paper, has been received here. In the police arrived, the rainwater three feet deep. To it filed a want their tools in power again, and the received here in the received here. The trouble is not yet ended. The trouble is not yet ended.

IN HONOR OF THE GREEK.

Athens, Sept. 2.—The British minister boday gave a lunch in honor of M. Tri
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control banks nothing Faige, Carey & Co. paper, to redeem all paper held by them, which offer has been accepted by nearly all such banks, and that the Huntington attorneys are, by agreement with his attorneys, remainoupls, prime minister of Greece, and ing passive to give him an opportunity the members of Sir John Penders' to effect a settlement. Paige also wrote that he took no money, books or pa-pers with him to South America, and for corroboration refers to F. H. Hirde, a New York detective, whom he says was sent to see him by the Hunting-ton estate attorneys. Paige's letter is dated San Isidio. dated San Isidio.

THAT YELLOW TUESDAY.

A Repetition Experienced in Classie Boston Yesterday.

Boston, Sept. 2.-A peculiar atmos pherical phenomena has attracted the pherical phenomena has attracted the attention of Bostonians. During the cabinet. Senor Ribbero, the prime minister part of the morning and all the afternoon the sun, unobscured by clouds, has feebly shone through a strait of smoke supposed to come from the of smoke supposed to come from the Senor d'Avila. latter part of the morning and all the afternoon the sun, unobscured by clouds, has feebly shone through a strait feeling of the peasantry against the of smoke supposed to come from the land owners, which was dormant durforest fires now raging in the lake ing the state of siege, is now found in seditious proportions. The government is asked to take strenuous measure to the region. The strength of the strong of of the forest fires now raging in the lake region. The effect has been a weird, unearthly yellow tinge to the atmos-phere, made oppressive by the general absence of stirring air. The day has been a repetition of the famous yellow ay of 1881. Several reports of a r phenomenon has been received cities and towns all over New

REAR END COLLISION.

Two Men Killed and Several Other

Persons Injured.

Camden, N. J., Sept. 2.—A fatal rearend collision occurred at 7:30 o'clock tonight on the West Jerrey railroad at Seventh and Van Hook street, this city. The Atlantic City excursion had just passed a signal tower, where it had been sixped, and then given the white signal to go on, when the Ocean City excursion train came in view and mistook the white signal, intended for the Atlantic City train, as being for them. The engine of the Ocean City excursion ploughed through the rear coach of their train, killing: Persons Injured.

dlling:
Thomas Carter, 40 years old.
Edward H. Van Lien.
Nearly everybody received bruises of reater or less severity, but they were not unficiently hurt to necessitate sending term to a bendied. sufficiently hurt to them to a hespital.

GERMANY AND SAMOA. London, Sept. 3.-A dispatch to the

Times from Berlin says that the German press, in commenting on Samoan affairs, emphatically demands that an end be put to the intolerable situation there. The German papers declare that the agreement of the government of the islands is the root of the evil and should be repealed. They suggest that Germany summon a conference in Berlin for the purpose of endeavoring to solve the question.

At the same time it is added that Germany does not intend to relax her claims or to agree to the proposal made by New Zealand that the administration of the government of the island be submitted to that colony. man press, in commenting on Samoan

THE SITUATION GRAVE.

London, Sept. 2 .- A dispatch from aris to the Times says that a cable message sent from St. Louis, Senegal, to the Havas News agency, seems to confirm the recent dispatch received by the Journal Des Debats regarding the

TO THE BITTER END.

in the Chinese-Japaneses War. London, Sept. 3 .- The Standard's orrespondent in Berlin telegraphs as follows:

"The war party, of which Prince Tirhing is the head, has, I learn, got the upper hand in China, which mean that the struggle with Japan will be prosecuted with vigor. is now gathering near Pekin. Half of

FOREIGN FLASHES.

Portions of This Terrestrial Sphere.

ton, Friday night. Four more men were arrested on bench warrants today charged with complicity in the lynching.

From facts brought out today it appears Detective Richardson knew an attempt would be made to lynch the prisoners and deliberately led them into the hands of the mob.

Bold Robbery in Nebraska.
Omaha, Neb., Sept. 2.—A special to the Bee from University Place, Neb., says:

Sphere.

Brussels, Sept. 2.—A case of cholera was reported today at Niewport, West Flanders. One death from the disease occurred at Boksmeer.

Paris, Sept. 2.—A. A. Zimmerman today won the grand prize of the umon velocipedique franctise. Baker was second.
London, Sept. 2.—Reports from Stowe house tonight states that the Count of Paris is growing weaker. It is believed that the end is near.

Berlin, Sept. 2.—The emperor has telesgraphed to the prefect of police of Berlin to return to this city on account of anarchist threats.

Lendon, Sept. 3.—The Sporting Life to-

the Bee from University Place, Neb., says:

Three armed men made a bold attack on the postoffice here last night, at 8 o'clock, and though little boodle was secured, the desperate conduct of the robbers has alarmed the entire community.

Postmaster Smith was locking the doors, when he felt a revolver pressed against his head. Looking up, he observed three revolvers in the hands of served three revolvers in the hands of the return to this city on account of anarchist threats.

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mated at from \$1,000 to \$2,000 per ton. TO PROTECT RUSSIAN TRADE.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 2.—The Russian squadron destined for Corea is under orders to proceed with the utmost expedition. It is officially stated the dispatch of the fleet does not imply Russian military intervention in the Chinese-Japanese dispute, but is merely intended to protect Russian trade.

THEY KISSED HIS TOE. Rome, Sept. 2.—Sixty Canadian pil-grims attended mass this morning in the hall of the consistory. The pope acted as celebrant, After the service, his holiness permitted the pilgrims to kiss his toe and spoke a few pleasant words to each of them.

THE CRISIS PASSED. Lisbon, Sept. 2.-The ministerial crisis

A LOOK INTO THE KINETOSCOPE. (From the Boston Herald.)

If you have not looked into Edison' kinetoscope delay not, but plank down your nickels and behold the wonder of the age. Verily, it makes the blood run hot and cold. Edison is well named the wirand cold. Edison is well named the winder and; he is the great magician of science and we have grown somewhat accustomed to his inventions through daily and constant use, but when you look into this toy, that represents the work of unfathomed genius, the average man believes the time has come to get excited. Nothing that I had read about the kinetoscope gave any idee of It, and It is only by personal examination, that is, by seeing these human pictures of absolute events for one's self, that its marvelous effect can be appreciated. The fight in the bur room, the skirt dancing at Koster & Blai's. Sandow's exhibition, and the cats' boxing match are as real as life. If the pictures could be on a larger scale the pleasure would be enhanced, though effect of distance does not destroy the perfection of movement or lessen any detail. The soft, fluttering drapery of the dancing girt, her graceful poses and the familiar high kick, are all there, and above the sound of the the electricity can can imagine the voices, the aplause, the music, and also, maybe, the squeak of beligerent cats! It is quite possible to believe, as Mr. Edison says, that the time is not far away when a grand overa can be acted and sung in a box, under our very eyes. At all events, the kinetoscope will preserve what has never box nucler our very eyes. At all events, the kinetoscope will preserve what has never box nucler our very eyes. At all events, the kinetoscope will preserve what has never box nucler our very eyes. At all events, the kinetoscope will preserve what has never box nucler our very eyes. At all events, the kinetoscope will preserve what has never box nucler our very eyes. At all events, the kinetoscope will preserve what has never box nucler our very eyes. At all events, the kinetoscope will preserve what has never box nucler our very eyes. At all events, the kinetoscope will preserve what has never box nucler our very eyes. At all events, the kinetoscope will preserve what has never box nucler our very eyes. At all events, the word

MULTUM IN PARVO.

The wavering mind is but a base pos-It is better to fall among crows than Adversity borrows its sharpest sting from our impatience.—Bp. Horne. A fool can no more see his folly than he can see his ears.—Thackeray. Nothing is more noble, nothing more enerable than fidelity.-Cloero,

Force rules the world—not opinion; but pinion makes use of force—Pascal.

A man of integrity will never listen to any plea against conscience—Horne,
Follow light and do the right—for man an half control his doom.—Tennyson. We know God easily, if we do not con-train ourselves to define him.—Joubert The commons, faithful to their system emained in a wise and masterly inactivity.—Mackintosh.

disaster to the French army at Timbuetoo. The Havas dispatch says it is rumored in St. Louis that the situation in Timbuctoo is grave. A company of tiralleurs are said to have been completely beaten by the Tauregas.

Vancouver Barracks, Washington.

CHARGES AGAINST

PAYMASTER WHAM.

A CASE THAT HAS STIRRED UP ARMY CIRCLES.

harges Against the Major Are Many and Cover a Long Series of Years, the Principal One Being Fallure to Meet a Legal Judgment of Several Thousand Dollars, Growing Out of an Arizona Irrigating Scheme-The Accused's Story.

Washington, Sept. 2.—A general court martial has been ordered at Vancouver Barracks, Washington, for Sept. 11, for the trial of general offenses. The detail

for the court is as follows:

Brigadier General Elwell S. Otls. Thomas Anderson, Lieutenant Colonel Hugh Thacker, Fourteenth infantry: Major W. D. Wolveston, Deputy Surgeon General John M. Bacon, First cavalry; Major M. M. Coxe, Paymaster James C. Post, corps of engineers; Colonel McCrea, Post, corps of engineers; Colonel McCrea, Fifth artillery; William H. Nash, commissary officer; James M. Marshall, Quartermaster John W. French, Fourteenth infantry; George S. Wilson, Assistant Adjutant General Charles H. McCully; Captain Charles McClure, acting judge advocate United States army, Judga advocate of the court.

Lieutenant James T. Anderson, Twenty-fifth infantry, and Lieutenant Henry A. Piper, Seventh infantry, have been found incapacitated for service by the retiring board.

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One of the principal duties of the court martial ordered to assemble at Vancouver, will be the trial of Paymaster Wham, who has been in trouble for some time and whose career has attracted considerable attention in army circles.

Lieutenant Frederick T. Van blew, Scoond infantry, has been ordered to act as assistant to Captain Charles A. Dempsey, Second infantry, at the encampment of the First regiment Iowa National guard at Monticello from Sept. 1 to Sept. 8.

Lieutenant Hunter Liggett, Fifth infantry, is ordered to Tampa, Fla. to attend the encampment of the Fifth batailion of the Florida state troops Sept. 19.

Major Wham's Statement. Portland, Or., Sept. 2.-Major J. W.

Wham, paymaster United States army, who is to be tried by a military court at Vancouver barracks, Sept. II, said to-Referring to the poverty in the great cities and the suffering in the great cities and the suffering in the great tenement house districts of the cities. Mrs. Gougar said there were thousands of acres of land in the suburbs of New York held idle for speculative purposes, and added:

"If I were the Almighty for only five minutes I would take all this property from the land speculators and give to God's children in the tenement houses of New York a place upon this earth and some of the gospel of fresh air and sunshine."

FIFTEEN ARE INJURED.

Chester, Pa. Sept. 2.—Fifteen people were injured in a collision between troily cars at Larby today, the accident being caused by a grip man losing control of the brakes in going down hill. None will die. Most of the passengers escaped injury by jumping but sustained flesh wounds.

RICH STRIKE NEAR BOISE.

Bolse, Ida, Sept. 2.—A very rich gold ledge has been discovered on Willow Creek, fifteen miles from Boise. Two and one-half feet of ore have been stripped for 300 feet. Its value is variously estimated at from \$1.000 to \$2.000 per ton.

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"I have much to tell the court of offically in reference to his trial:

"I have much to tell the court of offical per mediately and averances, seem to lead your clear by the secretary of war, in defense of my treasury box against the assault for at least twice the number of my escort, until every saidler but one who remained with me was wounded, and my escretary of war, in defense of my treasury box against the assault for at least twice the number of my teasury box against the assault for at least twice the number of my treasury box against the assault for the secretary of war, in defense of my treasury box against the assault for all persons the secretary of war, in defense of my treasury box against the assault for any treasury box against the assault for at least twice the number of my teasury box against the assault for the secretary of war, in defen

"In my judgment the result of the forthcoming trial will be exactly similar. The second sick leave of absence ever obtained by me in a period of nearly thirty years service was revoked after having been granted by a board of officers convened to determine whether it should be granted or not, and I was ordered back to my station, there to be held for three months subject to a secret espionage to determine my sanity. But Dr. Byrne, the medical director, having, I presume, grown thoroughly indigmant at the humiliating duty thus unlawfully imposed upon him, tried to terminate the unlawful, cruel and unjust action of the assistant secretary of war, Grant, by at once reporting, on my return to my station, that there was nothing whatever the matter.

"As to the charge that I am in debt, I will say yes, and I am just about as much responsible for it as I would be for the accidental killing of my mother; It having occurred through the unprecedented Armona floods of 1831."

Major Wham was appointed paymaster by President Grant, in whose regiment he served. The charges against Major Wham are many and cover a long series of years, It is understood that the principal charay against him is the failure to meet legal judgment against him for several thousand dollars growing out of a scheme for the irrigation of Arizona lands many years ago.

THE SETH COOK GOLD MINES.

New Company Takes Hold and Will Develop Them. San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 2.-The Seth look group of gold mines at Coulterville,

Cook group of gold mines at Coulterville, Mariposa county, have been sold to a company of Beston and Montana capitalists for 100,000.

The mines have been idle for twenty years. For several years before his death Cook had not worked them owing to lack of good transportation facilities. The purchasers include Thomas Cook, a millionaire of Butte, Mont. and J. A. Coran, of Boston, who, with his associates, owns forty-three mining properties at Futte and enormous reduction works on the Missouri river.

The purchasers of the Seth Cook mines intend to expend \$50,000 in their development erecting a stamp mill and building a railroad.

BIG STRIKE IN PROSPECTIVE.

Iwenty-Four Thousand Men May Quit Work Today. New York, Sept. 2.-It is estimated nat 24,000 persons connected with the

clothing trades of this city will tomorclothing trades of this city will tomorrow merning be out on strike unless
the employers will accede to the 4emands for more wages and less working hours. The 700 finishers who went
out according to agreement on Saturday throw out more than a thousand
operators. The employees of several
houses will meet during the week and
decide to go out if their demands are
not granted.

TOO MUCHER STRONG. London, Sept. 2.-A special dispatch

to the Times from Shanghal states the Chinese report that on Thursday last the Japanese troops made a recon-noissance in force on Port Arthur. They found the landward defenses too strong and retired without making an attack.

CLEVELAND AT HOME. Buzzards Bay, Mass., Sept. 2.-Presiient Cleveland remained at home all

day. The excursionists on the steam boats passing his cottage, got a view of the president and Mrs. Cleveland.